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*Berlin, February* 5.

HER Pruſſian Majeſty, who has been for ſome Time paſt in a bad State of Health, ſeems now to gather Strength daily, and to be in a fair Way of Recovery.

The Circuits appointed for the Lent Aſſizes are as follow, viz.

## Northern Circuit.

Lord *Mansfield*, Lord Chief Juſtice.
Mr. Juſtice *Gould*.

*City of York*, Saturday March 5, at the Guildhall of the ſaid City.
*York*, The ſame Day, at the Caſtle of *York*.
*Lancaſhire*, Tueſday March 22, at the Caſtle of *Lancaſter*.

## Midland Circuit.

Lord Chief Baron *Smythe*.
Mr. Juſtice *Blackſtone*.

*Warwick*, Thurſday March 3, at *Warwick*.
*City of Coventry*, Wedneſday March 9, at the City of *Coventry*.
*Leiceſter*, Thurſday March 10, at the Caſtle of *Leiceſter*.
*Borough of Leiceſter*, The ſame Day, at the Borough of *Leiceſter*.
*Derby*, Monday March 14, at *Derby*.
*Nottingham*, Thurſday March 17, at *Nottingham*.
*Town of Nottingham*, The ſame Day, at the Town of *Nottingham*.
*Lincoln*, Monday March 21, at the Caſtle of *Lincoln*.
*City of Lincoln*, The ſame Day, at the City of *Lincoln*.
*Rutland*, Monday March 28, at *Oakham*.
*Northampton*, Tueſday March 29, at *Northampton*.

## Home Circuit.

Mr. Baron *Perrott*.
Mr. Juſtice *Willes*.

*Hertford*, Tueſday March 1, at *Hertford*.
*Eſſex*, Monday March 7, at *Chelmsford*.
*Kent*, Monday March 14, at *Maidſtone*.
*Suſſex*, Monday March 21, at *Eaſt Grinſted*.
*Surry*, Wedneſday March 23, at *Kingſton upon Thames*.

## Weſtern Circuit.

Mr. Juſtice *Aſton*.
Mr. Juſtice *Aſhhurſt*.

*Southampton*, Tueſday March 1, at the Caſtle of *Wincheſter*.
*Wilts*, Saturday March 5, at *New Sarum*.
*Dorſet*, Thurſday March 10, at *Dorcheſter*.
*Devon*, Monday March 14, at the Caſtle of *Exeter*.
*City of Exeter*, The ſame Day, at the Guildhall of the ſaid City.
*Cornwall*, Monday March 21, at *Launceſton*.
*Somerſet*, Saturday March 26, at the Caſtle of *Taunton*.

## Oxford Circuit.

Mr. Juſtice *Nares*.
Mr. Baron *Eyre*.

*Berks*, Monday February 28, at *Reading*.
*Oxford*, Wedneſday March 2, at *Oxford*.
*Worceſter*, Saturday March 5, at *Worceſter*.
*City of Worceſter*, The ſame Day, at the City of *Worceſter*.
*Stafford*, Thurſday March 10, at *Stafford*.
*Salop*, Monday March 14, at *Shrewsbury*.
*Hereford*, Saturday March 19, at *Hereford*.
*Monmouth*, Thurſday March 24, at *Monmouth*
*Glouceſter*, Saturday March 26, at *Glouceſter*.
*City of Glouceſter*, the ſame Day, at the City of *Glouceſter*.

## SOUTH WALES CIRCUIT.

John Williams, *Eſq*; *and* William Whitaker, *His Majeſty's Firſt Serjeant at Law*.

*Radnorſhire*, Wedneſday March 23, at *Preſteign*.
*Breconſhire*, Tueſday March 29, at *Brecon*.
*Glamorganſhire*, Tueſday April 5, at *Cowbridge*.

## NORTH WALES CIRCUIT.

The Honourable *Daines Barrington*.
*James Hayes*, Eſq;

*Merionethſhire*, Monday April 4, at *Bala*.
*Carnarvonſhire*, Saturday April 9, at *Conway*.
*Angleſey*, Friday April 15, at *Beaumaris*.

## CHESTER CIRCUIT.

The Honourable *John Morton*, and
The Honourable *John Skynner*, Eſqrs.

*Montgomeryſhire*, Thurſday March 24, at *Pool*.
*Denbighſhire*, Wedneſday March 30, at *Wrexham*.
*Flintſhire*, Tueſday April 5, at *Mold*.
*Cheſhire*, Monday April 11, at *Cheſter*.

*THE Anniverſary Meeting of the Incorporated Society for the Propagation of the Goſpel in Foreign Parts will be held at the Pariſh Church of St. Mary le Bow in Cheapſide, on Friday next the 18th Day of February inſtant: On which Occaſion a Sermon will be preached by the Right Reverend the Lord Biſhop of Carliſle.*

*Prayers will begin at Half an Hour after Eleven o'Clock.*

[ Price Three-Pence. ]

St. James's, February 8, 1774.

*WHereas it has been humbly repreſented to the King, That a Forgery of the Bank of Scotland's Guinea Note has lately appeared; His Majeſty, for the better diſcovering and bringing to Juſtice the Perſon, or Perſons, concerned in the ſaid Forgery, is hereby pleaſed to promiſe His moſt gracious Pardon to any one of them, (the actual Forger, or Forgers, excepted) who ſhall diſcover to a Magiſtrate, or to the Treaſurer of the ſaid Bank, his, her, or their Accomplice, or Accomplices, therein, ſo that he, ſhe, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.*

SUFFOLK.

*The Directors of the Bank of Scotland have offered a Reward of ONE HUNDRED POUNDS, to any Perſon who ſhall apprehend the Forger or Forgers, except as above excepted.*

Treaſury Chambers, Dublin, January 29, 1774.

*WHereas ſeveral Sums of Money have already been ſubſcribed in Part of the Sum of 265,000 l. to be raiſed in Purſuance of an Act of Parliament, intituled, An Act for granting Annuities, in the Manner therein provided, to ſuch Perſons as ſhall voluntarily ſubſcribe towards the Raiſing a Sum not exceeding the Sum of 265,000 l. Notice is hereby given, That I will continue to receive Subſcriptions, agreeable to the ſaid Act; and that all Perſons, to whom Arrears are due upon the Civil and Military Eſtabliſhments of this Kingdom, as far as the 30th of September laſt, ſhall be permitted to ſubſcribe the Sums ſo due to them; and I do give this further Notice, That no Preference will be given to any Perſon whatever, but that the Subſcriber who makes the firſt Payment will be conſidered as the firſt Subſcriber, and ſo in Succeſſion according to their actual Payments, until the 20 l. per Cent on the Whole is received; and when the Subſcription is completed, and the Nominees appointed, a printed Liſt will be delivered to each Subſcriber, in their different Claſſes, ſetting forth the Names of the ſaid Nominees, their reſpective Ages, Places of Abode, and other Deſcriptions, as required by the Act. And on the 5th of December, and 5th of June, in every Year, a Liſt of the Names of the ſeveral Nominees, whoſe Deaths are come to Knowledge, and of the Subſcribers, who have made Default in making Demand, will be printed in the Dublin Gazette.*

Nath. Clements, *Dep. Rec. Gen.*

*N. B. For the Convenience of Perſons not reſiding in Ireland, Subſcriptions will be received by Meſſ. Browns and Collinſon, Bankers, in Lombard-Street, or Meſſ. Neſbitts, in London.*

## IRISH ANNUITIES.

Bank, Grafton-Street.

*ANY Perſons, deſirous of purchaſing Shares in the Iriſh Tontine or Annuities, may, by applying to the Houſe of Sir William Deſſe and Company, Bankers in Grafton-Street, become Proprietors of the ſame, as the Company of the ſaid Houſe undertake to deliver the Treaſury Receipts, by which Means they cannot be excluded the Benefit thereof.*

W. DESSE and Co.

General Poſt-Office, January 11, 1774.

*WILLIAM Harvey, of Amerſham in the County of Bucks, Innholder, and Deputy-Poſtmaſter of that Place, ſtands charged upon Oath, on a violent Suſpicion of having feloniouſly ſtolen out of the Poſt-Office there, ſeveral Bank Notes and Bills containe in Letters ſent by the Poſt.*

*The ſaid William Harvey abſconded from his Dwelling-Houſe at Amerſham aforeſaid, on Sunday laſt the 9th Inſtant. He is about forty Years of Age, five Feet ſix Inches high, very fat, ſhort Neck, and carries his Head very upright; is remarkably full cheſted, rather a black Complexion, ſhort thick Noſe, very full Eyes, wears a black curled Wig with a Tyburn Top, and is ſuppoſed to have had on a brown Coat and red Waiſtcoat when he abſconded.*

*Whoſoever ſhall apprehend and convict, or cauſe to be apprehended and convicted, the ſaid William Harvey, will be intitled to a Reward of FIFTY POUNDS.*

*By Command of the Poſtmaſter General,*

Anth. Todd, *Secretary.*

IF Thomas King, Son of John and Elizabeth King, who lately lodged at Mrs. Millar's, in Peter-Street, Weſtminſter, will apply to Mr. Joſeph Fletcher, of Welbeck, near Worksop, in Nottinghamſhire, he will hear of ſomething to his Advantage; or if any Perſon can give any Information where the ſaid Thomas King is, if living, if dead whether he has left a Wife or Children, and where they are, ſo that he or they may be wrote to, ſhall be handſomely rewarded by applying as above.

The ſaid Thomas King ſerved in Colonel Coote's 84th Regiment of Foot, Captain Long's Company, and was at the Siege of Arcot in the Eaſt-Indies, on the 29th of January, 1760.

THE Partnerſhip lately ſubſiſting between William White and James Tracy, who were alſo Partners with Mr. Samuel Hill, is, by mutual Conſent, finally diſſolved; and all Perſons indebted to the ſaid Partnerſhip are to pay the ſame to the ſaid James Tracy, at his Office in Lombard-Street; and all Perſons having any Demands on the ſaid Partnerſhip are to apply for Payment to the ſaid James Tracy, who will diſcharge the ſame.

*Wm. White.*
*Ja. Tracy.*

Tueſday the 8th Day of February, in the 14th Year of the Reign of His Majeſty King George the Third, 1774. Between Thomas Penſon and his Wife, and others, Plaintiffs, William Wheaten and another, Defendants,

UPON the humble Petition of the Plaintiffs, this Day preferred unto the Right Hon. the Maſter of the Rolls, for the Reaſons therein contained, and upon reading the Six Clerks Certificate of filing the Plaintiff's Bill, and the Affidavit of William Quick; It is ordered that the Defendant William Wheaton do appear to the Plaintiffs Bill, on or before the 31ſt Day of March next.

Thurſday the 3d Day of February, in the 14th Year of the Reign of His Majeſty King George the Third, 1774. Between Terence Shortney, Plaintiff, John Cadett, Defendant.

UPON the humble Petition of the Plaintiff, this Day preferred unto the Right Hon. the Maſter of the Rolls, for the Reaſons therein contained, and upon reading the Six Clerks Certificate of filing the Plaintiff's Bill, and an Affidavit of Thomas Smith; It is ordered, that the Defendant do appear to the Plaintiff's Bill on or before the 31ſt Day of March next.

WHereas Mary Stracie, late of Hackney in the County of Middleſex, Spinſter, by her laſt Will and Teſtament, dated the 21ſt Day of March, 1754, did give to William Scraggs, then late of Houndſditch in the City of London, Cabinet-Maker, (who ſhe ſuppoſed then to be at Nova Scotia) 200 l. and to his Children 100 l. to be equally divided, and directed that, in Caſe the ſaid William Scraggs ſhould not be living at her Death, then the ſaid 200 l. ſhould be divided between his Widow and Children; 100 l. to his Widow, and the other 100 l. to his Children: Now, in Purſuance of a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the ſaid William Scraggs, his Wife and Children, or ſuch of them as are now living, are forthwith to come in and make out their reſpective Claims to the ſaid Legacies, before Edward Montagu, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's-Inn in Chancery-Lane, London, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

TO be peremptorily ſold, purſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Thomas Cuddon, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's-Inn, Chancery-Lane, London, on Friday the 15th of April next, between the Hours of Five and Six o'Clock in the Afternoon, The Eſtate of Mathew Halcott, late of Hoo in the County of Norfolk, Eſq; deceaſed, ſituate in Beeſton in the ſaid County, containing, by Eſtimation, 107 Acres of Land, or thereabouts, Part Freehold and Part Copyhold, lett on Leaſe to Henry Harpley, at the yearly Rent of 40 l. Particulars whereof may be had at the ſaid Maſter's Chambers.

Notice to the Creditors of James Keill, Shipmaſter, in Aberbrothock, North Britain,

THAT the ſaid James Keill having, in Terms of the late Act of Parliament, applied to the Lord Gardenſton, Ordinary officiating on the Bills, for a Sequeſtration of his whole Perſonal Eſtate, his Lordſhip, upon the 6th of January laſt, did accordingly ſequeſtrate his ſaid Eſtate, and, upon the 20th of ſaid Month, the Lords of Seſſion nominated Alexander Milne, Writer in Aberbrothock, to be Factor on the ſaid Eſtate, with the uſual Powers, and appointed the Creditors of the ſaid James Keill to meet within the Houſe of Edward Shaw, Vintner in Aberbrothock, on Friday the 25th of February inſtant, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, in order to their continuing the ſaid Alexander Milne as Factor, or chuſing another, or a Truſtee or Truſtees in his Place: The ſaid Alexander Milne, therefore, gives Notice to the ſaid Creditors, to meet at the Time and Place above-mentioned, in Terms of the above Appointment.

*Alex. Milne.*

NOTICE

To the Creditors of John Blair, Tenant in Arnachlay, in the Pariſh of Port.

THESE are to intimate to all Concerned, that, upon the Application of the ſaid John Blair, the Lords of Council and Seſſion did, on the 13th of January laſt, ſequeſtrate his whole Perſonal Eſtate; and, upon the 21ſt of the ſaid Month, nominated and appointed Alexander M'Culloch, Writer in Buchanan, to be Factor thereon, in Terms of the late Statute, intituled, "An Act for rendering the Payment of the Creditors of Inſolvent Debtors, in that Part of Great Britain called Scotland, more equal and expeditious, &c."

The ſaid Alexander M'Culloch, therefore, in Terms of the ſaid Statute, and an Order from the Court, hereby requires the whole Creditors of the ſaid John Blair, by themſelves, or their Attornies or Agents properly authoriſed to act for them, in Terms of the ſaid Statute, to meet within the Houſe of David Haldan, Smith, in the Port of Monteith, on Wedneſday the 23d Day of February inſtant, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, in order to their continuing the ſaid Alexander M'Culloch as Factor on the ſaid ſequeſtrated Eſtate, or chuſing another Factor thereon, or a Truſtee or Truſtees in his Place, all in Terms of the ſaid Statute.

*Alexander M'Culloch.*

NOTICE,

By John Bogue, Writer in Edinburgh, Factor appointed by the Court of Seſſion upon the ſequeſtrated Perſonal Eſtate of James Renton, Merchant in Dunbar.

THESE are to intimate to all concerned, that, upon the Application of the ſaid James Renton, the Court of Seſſion did, on the 20th of January laſt, ſequeſtrate the whole Perſonal Eſtate of the ſaid James Renton, within the Juriſdiction of the ſaid Court; and appointed the above-named John Bogue to be Factor thereon, in Terms of the late Act of Parliament, intituled, "An Act for rendering the Payment of the Creditors of Inſolvent Debtors, in that Part of Great Britain called Scotland, more equal and expeditious, &c."

The ſaid John Bogue, therefore, in Terms of the ſaid Statute, and an Order of Court, hereby requires the whole Creditors of the ſaid James Renton, by themſelves, or their Attornies or Agents properly authoriſed to act for them, to meet within Foreſt's Coffeehouſe at Edinburgh, on Monday the 28th Day of February inſtant, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, in order to continue the ſaid John Bogue as Factor on the ſaid ſequeſtrated Eſtate, or chuſing another Factor thereon, or a Truſtee or Truſtees in his Place, all in Terms of the foreſaid Statute.

*John Bogue.*

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Michael Child, now or late of Croſs-Lane in the Pariſh of St. Martin in the Fields in the County of Middleſex, Bedſtead-Maker, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 2d and 12th Days of March next at Four in the Afternoon, and on the 29th Day of the ſaid March at Ten in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Cokayne, Attorney, Inner Temple Lane.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt William Shaw, of Redbridge in the County of Southampton, Innholder, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 10th Day of March next at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, on the 11th Day of the ſame Month at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, and on the 29th Day of the ſame Month at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, at the Houſe of James Neild, called the Dolphin, in Southampton, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chooſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. William Daman, Attorney, in Romſey in the ſaid County of Southampton.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt John Wibberley, of Ormaſton near Aſhborn in the County of Derby, Farmer, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 26th and 28th Days of February inſtant, and on the 29th Day of March next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon on each of the ſaid Days, at the Houſe of William Killingley, called the Green Man, in Aſhborn in the County of Derby, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Joſeph Dean, Attorney, in Aſhborn.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Roſſendale Allen, late of Liverpool in the County of Lancaſter, Mercer and Draper, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 9th, 10th, and 29th Days of March next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon on each of the ſaid Days, at the Houſe of James Wrigley, known by the Sign of the Golden Lion, ſituate in Dale-Street, in Liverpool aforeſaid, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chooſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. James Clegg, Attorney, in Liverpool aforeſaid.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Mathew Kidd, of the City of York, Vintner, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 1ſt, 2d, and 29th Days of March next at Eleven o'Clock in